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INFO AMEMBASSY SAIGON

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S E C R E T PHNOM PENH 10457

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SECSTATE PASS SECDEF, CJCS, CINCPAC

E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MARR, CB

SUBJECT: RECRUITMENT OF KHMER FROM

REFS: (A) SAIGON 17141

(B) PHNOM PENH 9908

(C) PHNOM PENH 9634

(D) STATE 168116

(E) PHNOM PENH 8333

(F) STATE 159126

1. SINCE SHORING UP FANK'S COMBAT STRENGTH BEFORE THE DRY SEASON BEGINS IN DECEMBER IS IMPERATIVE TO THE SUCCESSFUL DEFENSE OF THE REPUBLIC, WE BELIEVE IT IS ESSENTIAL FOR GKR TO ASK GVN TO PERMIT AND FACILITATE RECRUITMENT OF KHMER KROM IN SVN FOR FANK. DUE TO APPARENT LACK OF GVN ENTHUSIASM FOR ASSISTING GKR IN THIS PARTICULAR WAY, IT WOULD SEEM UNLIKELY THAT A GKR REQUEST WILL BE SUCCESSFUL UNLESS IT HAS USG SUPPORT.

2. IN VIEW OF URGENCY OF FANK'S NEEDS, WE RECOMMEND USG DECISION IN FAVOR OF GKR INITIATIVE SOONEST (REF B CONTAINS OUR PROPOSED SCENARIO).

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